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FM AMEMBASSY SAIGON

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TAGS: CPAS, VS (SILVER, GERALD AKA MOSS, JAMES FRANK)

SUBJECT: PASSPORT FRAUD AND APPEAL STATUS

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1. SILVER WAS TRIED ON JANUARY 28 IN THE SAIGON COURT OF APPEALS AND WAS SENTENCED TO PAY A FINE EQUIVALENT TO US\$14 RATHER THAN SERVE THE TWO MONTHS' SUSPENDED SENTENCE PREVIOUSLY HANDED DOWN BY THE COURT OF FIRST INSTANCE. THE CHARGE WAS "PASSPORT FRAUD."

2. SILVER TELEPHONED THE EMBASSY FEBRUARY 3 TO SAY THAT HE HAS PAID THE FINE AND WAS TOLD BY "FRIENDS" AT THE VIETNAMESE IMMIGRATION OFFICE THAT HE SHOULD APPLY FOR A U.S. PASSPORT IN HIS CORRECT NAME UPON RECEIPT OF WHICH HE PROBABLY WOULD HAS NO FURTHER DIFFICULTY REMAINING IN VIETNAM. HE FURTHER STATED THAT WITHIN THE NEXT WEEK HE WOULD BRING IN VARIOUS VIETNAMESE DOCUMENTS, WITH ENGLISH TRANSLATIONS, WHICH HE WISHES THE EMBASSY TO FORWARD TO THE DEPARTMENT FOR ITS CONSIDERATION IN HIS CASE.
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